

Installing AutoCAD 2007 on your machine

First, make sure your machine meets the following requirements:

Hardware/Software	Requirement	Notes
Operating system	Windows XP SP1 Windows 2000 SP4	<i>You must have Administrator permissions to install AutoCAD.</i>
Web browser	Microsoft Internet Explorer 6.0 SP1	
Computer/processor	Pentium III or later 800 Mhz (recommended)	
RAM	512 MB (minimum)	
Video	1024 x 768 VGA with True Color (minimum)	Requires a Windows-supported display adapter.
Hard disk Installation	750 MB	
Pointing device	Mouse, trackball, or other device	
Software	Microsoft .NET version 1.1	You can go to Add/Remove Programs to verify installation

The minimums for running 3D are as follows: 3GHz processor, 2GB RAM, 128 MB graphics card and an additional 2GB of hard drive space.

If you're not already registered with the EECAD group, send an email to beckett@jlab.org with the following information:

Name, Extension, Supervisor, Dept./Group, Network Logon Name, IP address

You need to be registered to be given a pass through the firewall otherwise you cannot run AutoCAD.

Go to M drive (groups) and look for eecad, find the directory Autocad Downloads and double click. Double click on the AutoCAD 2007 Install directory.

There are three different installations to choose from. They all require interaction from the user. They are as follows:

Full- installs EVERYTHING & then some

Typical- installs the typical AutoCAD set up

Custom- Interactive installation allowing the user to choose what items to install and where to install the program. (select this choice if you need to install to a drive other than C.) The program will also write certain files to C drive even though you may have specified a different drive. This is perfectly normal & nothing to be concerned about.

Double click on the shortcut of your choice. During the first time you start up AutoCAD, any custom settings you had in your previous version of AutoCAD will be found and you will be asked if you wish to migrate these up into the new version.

Please note! This version of AutoCAD will take a while to install. Go grab a cup of coffee!